10/528984

## JC17 Rec d PCT/PTO 24 MAR 2005

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yoshito KURODA, et al.

Serial No. Unassigned

Group Art Unit: Unassigned

Confirmation No. Unassigned

Filed: March 24, 2005

Examiner: Unassigned

For: GLYCOLIC ACID COPOLYMER AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows: